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Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction dated August 9, 2002, Applicants elects peptides and further elects RGD, without traverse.

Claims 1-12 and 16-34 read on the elected species.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding the foregoing elections, he is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (713) 238-8057.

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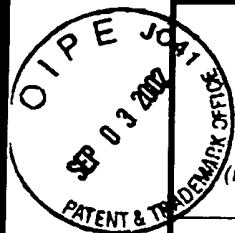
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